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**AFTER FINAL RESPONSE - RCE**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT: Vartak et al. )  
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FOR: Electrochemical Cell Recharging System ) Examiner  
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114**

- (a) ☐ Previously Submitted  
(i) ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
(ii) ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
(iii) ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**(b) ☐ Enclosed**

- (i) ☒ Amendment/Reply  
(ii) ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)  
(iii) ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  
(iv) ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Miscellaneous**

- (a) ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required).

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**AFTER FINAL RESPONSE - RCE****3. Fees**

(a) x The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 501648.

- (i) x RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) (\$385)  
(ii)      Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)  
(iii)      Other

(b)      Check in the amount of \$                                  enclosed.

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